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In re Application of:

TSUNEAKI KURUMIDA

Amendment Under 37 C.F.R. § 1.116  
Group Art Unit 2176, Expedited Procedure

Docket No. 862.811 Cont. I

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Application No.: 08/703,399

Examiner: S. Hong

Filed: August 26, 1996

Group Art Unit: 2176

For: OUTLINE FORMING APPARATUS AND  
AND METHOD USING INPUTTED  
WEIGHT INFORMATION (As Amended)

June 15, 2001

THE COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS  
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Washington, D.C. 20231

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Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.

No additional fee is required.

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CLAIMS AS AMENDED						
	(2) CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT		(4) HIGHEST NO. PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR	(5) PRESENT EXTRA	RATE	ADDITIONAL FEE
TOTAL CLAIMS	* 11	MINUS	** 38	= 0	x \$9 \$18	\$0.00
INDEP. CLAIMS	* 2	MINUS	*** 8	= 0	x \$40 \$80	\$0.00
Fee for Multiple Dependent claims \$135°/\$270						\$0.00
TOTAL ADDITIONAL FEE FOR THIS AMENDMENT---						\$0.00

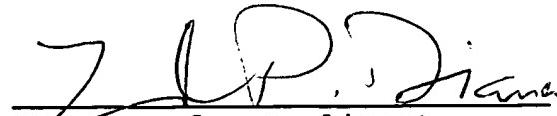
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- ^Verified Statement claiming small entity status is enclosed, if not filed previously.
- A check in the amount of \$\_\_\_\_\_ is enclosed.
- Charge \$\_\_\_\_\_ to Deposit Account No. 06-1205. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.
- Any prior general authorization to charge an issue fee under 37 C.F.R. 1.18 to Deposit Account No. 06-1205 is hereby revoked. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees under 37 C.F.R. 1.16 and 1.17 which may be required during the entire pendency of this application, or to credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 06-1205. A duplicate copy of this paper is enclosed.
- A check in the amount of \$\_\_\_\_\_ to cover the fee for a \_\_\_\_\_ month extension is enclosed.
- A check in the amount of \$\_\_\_\_\_ to cover the Information Disclosure Statement fee is enclosed.
- Applicant's undersigned attorney may be reached in our New York office by telephone at (212) 218-2100. All correspondence should continue to be directed to our address given below.

Respectfully submitted,

  
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AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL REJECTION

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated October 25, 2000, a timely Notice Of Appeal from which was filed on April 25, 2001, the Examiner is requested to amend the application as follows: